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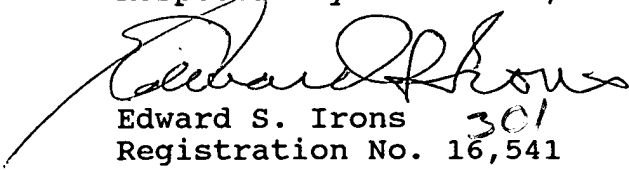
Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is the application, of ⁴⁰¹⁰⁰George J. Murakawa, 8611 Acacia Drive, Cypress, California 90630; R. Bruce Wallace, 1020 Buena Vista, South Pasadena, California 91030; John A. Zaia, 300 Armada Drive, Arcadia, California 91006; and John J. Rossi, 346 Cimmeron Trail, Glendora, California 91740, entitled "Method of Amplification and Detection of RNA Sequences", consisting of thirteen (13) pages of specification, eight (8) pages of claims (1-30), and a one-page Abstract. There are no drawings.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$370. Any underpayment or overpayment associated with this submission is to be charged or credited to deposit account 09-0948. A duplicate of this authorization is enclosed.

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